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**BY ELECTRONIC MAIL & ECF**

The Honorable Laura T. Swain  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007

**MEMO ENDORSED**

Re: *United States v. Smith, Yolanda Ratcliff*  
23cr80 (LTS)

Dear Judge Swain:

With the consent of the Government, I write to request an adjournment of Yolanda Ratcliff's sentence that is currently scheduled for September 7<sup>th</sup> at 2:30. Ms. Ratcliff's sentencing memorandum is due to be filed while I am on vacation and thus, I would greatly appreciate if the Court would grant an adjournment of Ms. Ratcliff's sentencing until September 28 at 11:30 a.m. which is a time and date which the parties and the Court are available.

Respectfully,

/s/

Donna R. Newman

CC: AUSA Rebecca Dell

AUSA Derek Wikstrom

AUSA Kedar Bhatia

The foregoing adjournment request is granted. Upon further discussion with the parties, the sentencing is hereby adjourned to October 13, 2023 at 11:30 am. DE 146 is resolved.

SO ORDERED.

8/16/2023

/s/ Laura Taylor Swain, Chief USDJ